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For Circuit Court Judge,
L. C. LINN, of Calloway.
For Magistrate Pembroke District,
WM. L. PARKER.

Supplemental

Registration

At County Clerk's Office

Oct. 28, 29, 30

The New South, the colored Republican organ in Louisville, has renounced allegiance to Col. Bradley and advises the colored people to scratch him, because he has turned his back upon justice and fairness by spitting upon every National platform adopted by the party since its infancy. It says: "The negro who can vote for Bradley ought to be put back into slavery. Bradley is one of the worst enemies the race ever had. He says he's against our having our civil rights under the law, and we ought to be opposed to his riding into offices through demagoguery and over the crushed hopes of a helpless people, and, by the eternal, the New South is unalterably opposed to him and his ilk. Vote the Republican ticket but scratch Bradley."

In spite of the false report in the Courier-Journal, the National Farmers' Congress at Atlanta, declared unequivocally for free coinage at 16 to 1. Following is the resolution adopted by an overwhelming majority:

Resolved, That we favor the free and unlimited coinage of both silver and gold at the present ratio of 16 to 1, guarded by an import duty upon foreign bullion and a foreign coin equal to the difference between the bullion value and the coinage value of the metal at the date of importation, whenever the bullion value of the metal is less than its coin value."

The Republicans no longer have hopes of carrying the state. Democrats have recovered from their little scare of last summer and are preparing to surprise even the "oldest inhabitant" with the majority in this district. You can't get Republican bets except on the size of Hardin's majority. Wat's all right.

Judge Field, in a test case at Louisville, has decided that school trustees must be elected by a viva voce vote, and the county clerk has been restrained from putting the names of candidates for trustees on the regular secret ballot.

The latest evidence of the Courier-Journal's loyal "support" of the Democratic ticket, was an editorial to "scratchers" explaining to them how they could scratch Hardin and vote the rest of the ticket.

The vote in Christian county will be about 6,500. Of this the Republicans will have say 3,350, the Democrats 2,900 and the Populists 250. Set this guess down in your book and see how much we miss it.

If Mr. Geo. W. Long, the Republican candidate for Treasurer, will consent to a division of time with a Democrat, a joint debate can be arranged when he fills his appointment here on the 22nd.

This is the last week nominations can be made for office. The official ballots must be closed to names fifteen days before the election, which is Oct. 20th.

Weather Forecasts.

Another fall of the barometer, with rising temperature may be expected by Sunday. A cold wave will closely follow this period, with probable snow in the North and slight freezing. Promise of a rather bitter cold wave, also, about the last of this month.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Blakey spent several days at the Atlanta Exposition last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cooper went to Atlanta Tuesday to attend the Exposition.

Miss Minnie E. Taylor has returned to her home in Bennettstown after a short visit to the family of Mr. W. R. Thompson.

Mr. A. G. Pool and wife, of Meadeville, Va., are on a short visit to the family of Mr. R. S. Pool, at Gracey.

Miss Nora Fowler, of Henderson, is the pleasant guest of Mrs. W. T. Williamson this week.

Mrs. E. N. Miller and little son, Earnest, have returned home from a three months visit to father and brother in Arkansas.

Mrs. Austin Peay, Jr., of Hopkinsville, is visiting her parents in this city.—Clarksville Times.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. McCown, of the Bluff Springs neighborhood, were in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. E. A. Hathaway went to Hopkinsville this morning, called there by the serious illness of Mr. Taliaferro, a relative, who has typhoid fever.—Owensboro Enquirer.

Miss Florence Rice, of Greenville, is visiting Miss Mattie Sue Brown, near Church Hill, this week.

Miss Carrie Bailey, of Pembroke, is visiting Mrs. W. T. Williamson.

Mrs. J. B. Nance, of Pee Dee, left this city yesterday afternoon for Kaufman, Texas, to visit relatives.

Miss Zedie Howard of Madisonville, is the guest of Mrs. Polk Cansler.

Mr. T. L. Metcalfe has gone to the Atlanta Exposition.

Mr. Frank Bell went to Louisville this week.

Mrs. A. G. Bush, of Louisville, is visiting relatives in the city.

Rev. R. S. Carter's family has arrived from Virginia and they will go to housekeeping on Liberty street. Mr. Carter is the new rector of Grace church.

Mr. C. H. Tandy came home from Nashville to attend the Cox-Boulware wedding.

City Tax for 1895.

All city taxes for 1895 not paid by Nov. 1st, will be subject to a penalty of 6 per cent. which will be added.
L. C. CRAVENS,
Oct. 15-31. City Tax Collector.

ANTELOPE'S CURIOUS CASE.

Investigation of a mysterious case in the field of the antelope. A few weeks ago, a man had a deer on a buck of seven, and was lying on his back when he shot it. He was waiting for them to feed together, that he could get a better shot, and while lying there the antelope picked up his heels like a boy. The antelope had read in a book that they had suspected something wrong, but they saw his heels waving back and forth, and instantly all was commotion. He dropped his heels very suddenly and lay there confounding his stupidity, when he saw the whole bunch was moving up toward the spot where those mysterious things had been seen. He understood it at once. His heels made a new kind of flag, and he was not slow to act on the suggestion. He waved them again, and again the antelopes stopped to gaze at the curious black things moving slowly back and forth up there on the ridge. When the boots dropped out of sight again the antelope, impelled by their fatal curiosity, moved nearer to them. So they kept it up until the bunch was not seventy-five yards away. Presently he got two of them in range, and, drawing a fine sight, he fired, and they both fell. The others wheeled like the wind and were off over the ridge, but not before another bullet cut down a buck.—Outing.

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An incline car at Pittsburgh broke the cable and ran wild Wednesday. Three people were killed and 8 injured. The car was demolished, but the passengers saved themselves by lying flat on the floor. The three who refused were killed.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c.

Mr. Louis Windmuller has written for the October number of The Forum an article entitled, "The Resuscitation of Blue Laws," criticising the action of the Police Commissioners of New York in enforcing the Sunday excise law.

Dr. Chilton Allen, of Winchester, is dead.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Reported by TATUM, EMERY & CO.,
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QUOTATIONS.

LOUISVILLE KY., Oct. 16.—Cattle—Receipts 184. Market ruled steady to firm at about Monday's prices, a pretty good clearance made. Prospects steady.

Hogs.—Receipts 2777. Market opened tops selling at \$1.00, closed weak and 5c to 10c lower than the opening, some \$2.30 to \$2.95, this afternoon, several cars unsold. Outlook not favorable.

Sheep and lambs.—Receipts light. Market slow, shade lower. Common grades very dull.

CATTLE—Extra shipping..... \$4.00 to 4.50
Light shipping..... \$3.50 to 4.00
Best butchers..... \$4.50 to 5.00
Fair to good butchers..... \$3.50 to 4.00
Common to medium butchers..... \$3.00 to 3.50
Thin, rough steers, poor cows and calves..... \$1.50 to 2.50
Good to extra oxen..... \$2.50 to 3.00
Common to medium oxen..... \$1.50 to 2.50
Feeders..... \$1.50 to 2.50
Cows..... \$1.50 to 2.50
Bulls..... \$1.50 to 2.50
Veal calves..... \$2.50 to 3.00
Choice milk cows..... \$3.00 to 4.00
Fair to good milk cows..... \$2.50 to 3.00
Hogs—Choice packing and butchers..... \$8.00 to 9.00
Fair to good packing, 180 lb to 225 lb..... \$5.00 to 6.00
Good to extra light, 160 lb to 180 lb..... \$4.00 to 5.00
Fat hogs, 120 lb to 150 lb..... \$4.00 to 5.00
Fat hogs, 150 lb to 180 lb..... \$4.00 to 5.00
Roughs, 150 lb to 400 lb..... \$3.00 to 4.00
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Good to extra shipping sheep..... \$2.50 to 3.00
Fair to good..... \$2.00 to 2.50
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NAVAL OFFICERS' PAY.

Prospects of the Boy in the Academy at Annapolis.

Though Not Extravagant the Salaries Paid Are Sufficient for All Practical Purposes—The Matrimonial Problem a Serious One.

When a lad enters the naval academy, say at seventeen years of age, he knows that should he remain in the service he will be earning at thirty \$1,400 a year, with a trifle in the way of commutation for rations, and at forty hardly above \$2,800 a year, sea pay. The lad of seventeen, if rich, or with prospects of private fortune, does not greatly concern himself about his future pay, and, if poor, the cadet thinks \$1,400 a year a munificent salary. By the time a cadet is through his course at the academy he realizes that the pay he is to receive is not large in proportion to the state he must maintain as an officer of the navy. When the young cadet is on his pay of \$1,300 a year during his first five years he looks upon matrimony as a thing beyond him. The problem is how to maintain himself, a wife and a hypothetical family of children for the next fifteen years on an average of about \$1,600 a year; to maintain a neat appearance in several kinds of uniform, besides citizens' clothes and keep up two establishments, so to speak, one ashore for their wives and children and one at sea for themselves. Nevertheless there are a considerable number of naval officers not above the rank of ensign or junior lieutenant who are maintaining themselves and families of varying sizes upon their pay alone. The taking on of such responsibility means that the officer must be ready to go to sea at all times, and must, if possible, avoid shore duty, since that brings a reduction of pay, as quarters are furnished in theory sufficient for the officer and his family, though, in reality, the acceptance of such quarters sometimes involves a serious sacrifice. The officer at sea can calculate almost to the penny his personal expenses. He knows that his stock of clothing will probably outlast the cruise and that mess expenses need not be more than \$35 or \$40 a month, including tobacco and an occasional glass of cheering liquor. So he arranges in advance that a considerable part of his pay shall go each month directly from the department to those left behind

at home, and manfully faces the necessity of living on what remains. The officer who is tempted to ease his financial strait by running into debt speedily finds his last case worse than his first, for the secretary of the navy exercises a paternal supervision over the debts of his young men, and long-suffering tradesmen can bring naval debtors to book by an appeal to the head of the department. It is always possible to draw two months' pay in advance before going upon a cruise, and this helps to make things pleasant for those left ashore, though the backlogs of the navy take advantage of the privilege perhaps as often as the married men.—Baltimore Sun.

Oregon has had a number of women who have distinguished themselves in various ways, some in literature, some in art, some as slayers of wild beasts, others as increasers of population, some by climbing mountains, others by tumbling down them, and so on; but a deed of bravery has lately been done by a Portland woman which is quite certain no other woman in the state, and probably no other woman in the world, has nerve enough even to attempt, says the Morning Oregonian. This woman is employed in a large establishment on Third street, and her name must be kept secret to prevent the place being overrun with people anxious to see the woman who is so brave.

There are quite a number of other women employed in the same room, as well as several men. Recently a rat strayed into the room and could not find its way out, and the men started to catch and kill him.

This was easier said than done, for the rat was agile and daring, and fled from one ambush to another, while the women and girls flew upon the chairs and tables, and would have perched on the ceiling like flies if they had been able.

There was one exception—the brave woman who has immortalized herself. She stood her ground, and finally, when the rat had been poked from behind a barrel and was dashing over the floor almost over her feet, she "crouched" down and let her skirt touch the floor and captured the rat, and when it endeavored to push its way out she swatted it over the head and laid it out.

This is a fact, and if any persons in any country can produce a similar case of bravery and presence of mind on the part of a woman he can take the bakery.

ROMANCE OF THE TELEGRAPH.

Some of the Difficulties of Operating a Line Through Queer Countries. A good deal of romance hovers around the means by which the world's news is gathered, says the New York Sun. The speed and accuracy with which telegraph messages are transmitted between the remotest parts of the earth is marvelous when the conditions under which they are sometimes transmitted are considered.

The Indo-European telegraph line offers a good illustration. It runs from London to Lowestoft, on the east coast of England. It then dips under the sea to Emden, on the German coast, whence it passes through Germany to the Russian frontier. From this point the wire passes by way of Warsaw, Rowno, Odessa, the Caucasus and Tiflis to Persia, and by Tauris to Teheran, the capital of the shah's queer domain. There it joins the Indian government line, which runs from the Persian capital to Bushire, on the Persian gulf. Thence the wires run through Beloochistan and complete the route by Bombay, Karachi, Kurrachee, in northern India. The operation of this immense stretch of line, passing through countries of such varying climates and general characteristics, is obviously one of much difficulty.

On the snow-swept steps of Russia the wires are sometimes snapped like thread by the rapid flight of flocks of wild geese. The poles are cut down and made into firewood by the nomad tribes of the Caucasian districts, and the cunning innkeepers of Georgia seek to boom the posthorse trade by deliberately creating faults in the wires. In certain parts of the mountainous regions of Asia the maintenance of the solitary line involves no little personal risk and hardship to the staff hands. Communication is often cut off by avalanches in the mountain districts, and the work of repairing after a snowfall of five or six feet is no light matter.

These mountain stations are provisioned with several months' supplies before the winter sets in, as the staff will be in touch with the rest of the world by the wire only until the spring weather opens out the passes. In these supplies are always included a liberal allowance of books and games wherewith to relieve the monotony of the tedious winter exile.